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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

12016

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County SorrettVillage or City Swarthmore - 5 mi. west No. \_\_\_\_\_Registration Dist. No. 169

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. How long in U. S. if of foreign birth? \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

2. FULL NAME Sarah Alice Beckman

(a) Residence: No. \_\_\_\_\_

St. \_\_\_\_\_

Ward. \_\_\_\_\_

If nonresident give city or town and State \_\_\_\_\_

(Usual place of abode)

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

Female

4. COLOR OR RACE

White5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED (write the word)Widowed

5a. If married, widowed, or divorced

HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE ofEd Beckman

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

Oct 6, 1859

7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than

1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs.

or \_\_\_\_\_ min.

7211

OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular  
kind of work done, as SPINNER,  
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.Farming Prof.9. Industry or business in which  
work was done, as SILK MILL,  
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at  
this occupation (month and  
year)11. Total time (years)  
spent in this  
occupation

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Bellowsford Md

FATHER

13. NAME

Alexander Lohr

MOTHER

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Md

15. MAIDEN NAME

Beckman

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Md

17. INFORMANT

(Address)

Sarah Beckman  
Swarthmore Md

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Date

Swarthmore Md Oct. 19, 1931

19. UNDERTAKER

(Address)

Ernest Bolden  
Baltimore Md

20. FILED

Oct 19, 1931Myrtle Chalkley

Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

Oct  
(Month)17  
(Day)1931  
(Year)

22.

I HEREBY CERTIFY. That I attended deceased from

Apr. 1931

to

Oct 17

1931

to

Oct 17

1931

I last saw her alive on Oct 16<sup>th</sup> 1931; death is saidto have occurred on the date stated above, at 10<sup>30</sup> a.m.The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance  
were as follows:Diabetes Mellitus

Date of onset

March 1923

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Name of operation \_\_\_\_\_

Date of \_\_\_\_\_

What test confirmed diagnosis? \_\_\_\_\_

Was there an autopsy? \_\_\_\_\_

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? \_\_\_\_\_

Date of injury \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

Where did injury occur? \_\_\_\_\_

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury \_\_\_\_\_

Nature of injury \_\_\_\_\_

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? \_\_\_\_\_

If so, specify

(Signed) M. O. Humphreys(Address) Baltimore Md

M. O.

# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

**Statement of occupation.**—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. Make some entry in this section for every person aged 10 years or over. If the deceased had retired from business, report the occupation prior to retirement. Children not gainfully employed may be returned as at school or at home. For a woman whose only occupation was that of home housework, write *housewife* in answer to Question 8 and *own home* in answer to Question 9. For a person engaged in domestic service for wages, however, designate the occupation by the appropriate terms, as *servant—private family*, *cook—hotel*, etc. For a person who had no occupation whatever write *none*.

To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as “employee,” “worker,” “operative,” etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as *spinner*, *weaver*, etc.

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as “store,” “factory,” “mill,” etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as *grocery store*, *soap factory*, *cotton mill*, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as *civil engineer*, *mechanical engineer*, *mining engineer*, *stationary engineer*, etc. Avoid the term “laborer” when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word “mechanic,” but give the exact occupation, as *carpenter*, *painter*, *machinist*, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a *salesman* and not a *clerk*.

**Statement of cause of death.**—Cause of death means the disease, injury, or complication which causes death, not the mode of dying, e. g., *heart failure*, *asphyxia*, *asthenia*, etc. As principal cause name the disease or injury causing death. As related causes, name earlier morbid conditions, if any, related to the principal cause and any important complication of the principal cause. Under other contributory causes of importance, name other important diseases or injuries. Examples:

## Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

*Arteriosclerosis*

*Chronic interstitial nephritis*

*Cerebral hemorrhage*

Date of onset

*1915*

*1921*

*July 5, 1927*

Other contributory causes of importance:

*Gallstones*

*May 1, 1923*

## Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

*Attack of epilepsy*

*Run over by street car*

*Peritonitis*

Date of onset

*1 week ago*

*1 week ago*

*3 days ago*

Other contributory causes of importance:

*Gastroenteritis*

*1 year*

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

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1 PLACE OF DEATH

County

Garrett

12017

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No.

162

Village or City

Grantsville

(No.

St;

Ward)

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME William E. Broadwater

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

Male

4 COLOR OR RACE

White

5 SINGLE,

MARRIED, Yes Married

WIDOWED

OR DIVORCED

(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH

May, 15-1865

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

7 AGE

66

5

16

If LESS than

1 day.... hrs.

1 day.... hrs.

1 day.... hrs.

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or

particular kind of work

Farmer

(b) General nature of industry

business, or establishment in

which employed, or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country)

Maryland.

10 NAME OF FATHER

John Broadwater.

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

(State or country)

Maryland.

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

Mary Custer.

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

(State or country)

Maryland.

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

Mr's William Broadwater

(Address)

Grantsville, Md

15

Filed

Nov 2 1931

G. H. Rice

Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

October 31, 1931

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

17

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from

August 24, 1931, to Oct 31, 1931.

that I last saw him alive on Oct. 26, 1931.

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 6:00 P.M.

The CAUSE OF DEATH was as follows:

Complete Heart-Block

(Duration) .... yrs. .... mos. .... da.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) .... yrs. .... mos. .... da.

(Signed)

B. E. Glassm

M. D.

Nov 2, 1931 (Address) Meyersdale, Pa.

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury; and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients, or Recent Residents)

At place

of death

.... yrs. .... mos. .... da.

In the

State

.... yrs. .... mos. .... da.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or

usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

St. Anns Cemetery, Altoona, Nov. 4-31-1931

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

Wm Winterberg Grantsville

# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

(Approved by U. S. Census and American Public Health Association.)

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**Statement of Cause of Death.**—Name, first, the disease causing death (the primary affection with respect to time and causation), using always the same accepted term for the same disease. Examples: *Cerebrospinal fever* (the only definite synonym is "Epidemic cerebrospinal meningitis"); *Diphtheria* (avoid use of "tramp"); *Typhoid fever* (never report "Typhoid pneumonia"); *Lobar pneumonia*, *Bronchopneumonia* ("Pneumonia,"

unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs*, *meninges*, *peritonitis*, etc., *Carcinoma*, *Sarcoma*, etc., of ..... (name origin; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Measles*; *Whooping cough*; *Chronic valvular heart disease*; *Chronic interstitial nephritis*, etc. The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Measles* (disease causing death), 29 ds.; *Bronchopneumonia* (secondary), 40 ds. Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anæmia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Con-vulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Hæmorrhage," "Inundation," "Marasmus," "Old Age," "Shock," "Uremia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage as "Puerperal *septicæmia*," "Puerperal *peritonitis*," etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. For violent deaths state means of injury and qualify as accidental, suicidal, or homicidal, or as probably such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning*; *Struck by railway train—accident*; *Reveler wound of head—homicide*; *Poisoned by carbolic acid—probably suicide*. The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis*, *tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Garnett

12018

(159)

# STATE OF MARYLAND CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 161

Village or City Friendsville Md (No. \_\_\_\_\_)

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME Ray Jr. Casteel

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX male 4 COLOR OR RACE white 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) \_\_\_\_\_

6 DATE OF BIRTH Oct 12 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE Stillborn If LESS than 2 yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds. or \_\_\_\_ min.?

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work \_\_\_\_\_  
(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) \_\_\_\_\_

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Friendsville Md RFD

10 NAME OF FATHER Okey J. Casteel

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Friendsville Md RFD

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Annada J. Vauvickel

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Friendsville Md RFD

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Okey J. Casteel  
(Address) Friendsville Md RFD

15 Filed Oct. 12<sup>th</sup> 1931 Ms. Jeannette Stalter Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Oct 12 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from \_\_\_\_\_ 192\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ 192\_\_\_\_,

that I last saw him alive on Oct 1<sup>st</sup> 1931,

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 3:30 A. m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Premature 7-month

(Duration) \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.  
(Signed) A. J. Mason Md. M. D.  
Oct 12<sup>th</sup> 1931 (Address) Friendsville Md

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds. In the State \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? \_\_\_\_\_

Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Blooming Rose, Md. DATE OF BURIAL Oct. 12<sup>th</sup> 1931

20 UNDERTAKER H. W. Savage ADDRESS Friendsville Md.



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unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs, meninges, peritoneum*, etc., *Carcinoma, Sarcoma*, etc., of . . . . . (name origin; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Menses; Whooping cough; Chronic valvular heart disease; Chronic interstitial nephritis*, etc. The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Masles* (disease causing death), *29 ds.; Bronchopneumonia* (secondary), *10 ds.* Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anaemia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Hæmorrhage," "Ictantion," "Marasmus," "Old Age," "Shock," "Uremia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage as "PUERPERAL septicaemia," "PUERPERAL peritonitis," etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. For VIOLENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL or HOMICIDAL, or as *probably* such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning, Struck by railway train—accident; Revolver wound of head—homicide; Poisoned by tartaric acid—probably suicide*. The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis, tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

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COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA  
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH  
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS

## CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

1. PLACE OF DEATH

County of

Registration  
District No.

Township of

or  
Borough  
orPrimary Registration  
District No.

City of

(No.

St.

Ward)

File No.

Registered No.

[If death occurred in a  
Hospital or Institution  
give its NAME instead  
of street and number.]

2. FULL NAME

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

4. COLOR OR RACE

5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED  
OR DIVORCED (write the word)5a. If married, widowed, or divorced  
HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE of

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

IF LESS than  
1 day, hrs.  
of min.

8. OCCUPATION OF DECEASED

(a) Trade, profession, or  
particular kind of work(b) General nature of industry,  
business, or establishment in  
which employed (or employer)

(c) Name of employer

9. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

10. NAME OF FATHER

11. BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (city or town)

(State or country)

MAIDEN

12. NAME OF MOTHER

13. BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (city or town)

(State or country)

14. Informant

(Address)

15. Filled

, 19

REGISTRAR

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16. DATE OF DEATH

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

17.

I HEREBY CERTIFY That I attended deceased from

that I last saw him

and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

CONTRIBUTORY  
(SECONDARY)

18. Where was disease contracted

If not at place of death?

Did an operation precede death? Date of

Was there an autopsy?

What test confirmed diagnosis?

(Signed)

Oct 4 1931

(Address)

\*State the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, or in deaths from VIOLENT CAUSES, state  
(1) MEANS AND NATURE OF INJURY and (2) whether ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or  
HOMICIDAL. (See reverse side for additional space.)19. PLACE OF BURIAL, CREMATION OR  
REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

20. UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

19

See correspondence under Dr Geo. C. Clarke 12/16/31  
regarding this certificate

A stillbirth must be registered both as a birth and death. The date of death should be the date of delivery and the death certificate should further state, if known, the cause of the stillbirth and the period of utero gestation in months.

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DEC 18  
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Space for additional information by physician



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1 PLACE OF DEATH

County

Garrett

12019

(158)

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 167

Village or City *Germania Md* (No. \_\_\_\_\_)

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME

*Evelin Virginia Eger*

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

*Female*

4 COLOR OR RACE

*W. Amer*5 SINGLE,  
MARRIED,  
WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word)*Infant*

6 DATE OF BIRTH

*Oct 1, 1931*  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE

yrs. mos. ds. or min.?

If LESS than  
1 day 22 hrs.

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work

*Infant*

(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE  
(State or country)*Garrett Co Md*10 NAME OF  
FATHER*Chas H Eger*11 BIRTHPLACE  
OF FATHER  
(State or country)*Aurora W V*12 MAIDEN NAME  
OF MOTHER*Lucy V. Busby (Eger)*13 BIRTHPLACE  
OF MOTHER  
(State or country)*Williamsport, W V*

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

(Address)

15 Filed *Oct 3, 1931* *Virginia M. Hare* Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

*Oct 2, 1931*  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from

*Oct 1, 1931 to Oct 2, 1931*  
that I last saw him alive on *Oct 2, 1931*and that death occurred on the date stated above, at *5 P M* m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

*not developed*Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

*27 hours*

(Signed)

*J. B. Johnson* M. D.  
*Oct 2, 1931* (Address) *Bayard Md*

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death yrs. mos. ds.

In the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

*Fort Pendleton Cemetery* *Oct 4, 1931*

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

*M. Aronhalt* *Germania W V*

# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

(Approved by U. S. Census and American Public  
Health Association.)

**Statement of Occupation**—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. The question applies to each and every person, irrespective of age. For many occupations a single word or term on the first line will be sufficient, e. g., *Farmer or Planter, Physician, Compositor, Architect, Locomotive engineer, Tool engineer, Stationary fireman, etc.* But in many cases, especially in industrial employments, it is necessary to know (a) the kind of work and also (b) the nature of the business or industry, and therefore an additional line is provided for the latter statement; it should be used only when needed. As examples: (a) *Spinner*, (b) *Cotton mill*; (a) *Salesman*, (b) *Grocery*; (a) *Foreman*, (b) *Automobile factory*. The material worked on may form part of the second statement. Never return "Laborer," "Foreman," "Manager," "Dealer," etc., without more precise specification as *Day laborer, Farm laborer, Laborer—Coal mine, etc.* Women at home, who are engaged in the duties of the household only (not paid *Housekeepers* who receive a definite salary), may be entered as *Housewife, Housework, or At Home*, and children, not gainfully employed, as *At school, or At home*. Care should be taken to report specifically the occupations of persons engaged in domestic service for wages, as *Servant, Cook, Housemaid, etc.* If the occupation has been changed or given up on account of the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, state occupation at beginning of illness. If retired from business, that fact may be indicated thus; *Former (retired 6 yrs)*. For persons who have no occupation whatever, write *None*.

**Statement of Cause of Death**—Name, first, the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH (the primary affection with respect to time and causation), using always the same accepted term for the same disease. Examples: *Cerebrospinal fever* (the only definite synonym is "Epidemic cerebrospinal meningitis"); *Diphtheria* (avoid use of "Croup"); *Typhoid fever* (never report "Typhoid Pneumonia"); *Lobar pneumonia, Bronchopneumonia* ("Pneumonia,"

unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs, meningitis, peritonium, etc., Carcinoma, Sarcoma, etc.*, of . . . . . (name origin; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Masks; Whooping cough; Chronic valvular heart disease; Chronic interstitial nephritis, etc.* The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Masks* (disease causing death), *29 ds.; Bronchopneumonia* (secondary), *10 ds.* Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anæmia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Hæmorrhage," "Inanition," "Marasmus," "Old Age," "Shock," "Uræmia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage as "PUERPERAL *septicæmia, Puerperal peritonitis, etc.* State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. For VIOLENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL, or as *probably* such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning; Struck by railway train—accident; Renalner wound of head—homicide; Poisoned by carbonic acid—probably suicide.* The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis, tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

If this certificate is looked over thoroughly and all questions answered in detail, it will prevent further correspondence. All the data is essential and must be obtained before the certificate is permanently filed.

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# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

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The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
<i>Arteriosclerosis</i>	<i>1915</i>
<i>Chronic interstitial nephritis</i>	<i>1921</i>
<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>
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Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>
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ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

12021

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County

Village or City

No.

St.

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs.

mos.

ds.

How long in U. S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No.

St.

Ward.

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

## 3. SEX

## 4. COLOR OR RACE

5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED (write the word)5a. If married, widowed, or divorced  
HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE of

## 6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

## 7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than  
1 day, hrs.  
or, min.

## OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular  
kind of work done, as SPINNER,  
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.9. Industry or business in which  
work was done, as SILK MILL,  
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at  
this occupation (month and  
year)11. Total time (years)  
spent in this  
occupation

## 12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

## 13. NAME

## 14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

## 15. MAIDEN NAME

## 16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

## 17. INFORMANT

(Address)

## 18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Date

## 19. UNDERTAKER

(Address)

## 20. FILED

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

(Month)

(Day)

1931

(Year)

## 22.

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

First saw him

alive on

at

1931

; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance  
were as follows:

Date of onset

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

## 23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide?

Date of injury

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Where did injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of Injury

## 24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed)

(Address)

M. D.

MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING

U. S. No. 1

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Cerebral hemorrhage	July 5, 1927

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gallstones	May 1, 1923
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## Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
Attack of epilepsy	1 week ago
Run over by street car	1 week ago
Peritonitis	3 days ago

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis	1 year
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ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County

Village or City

No.

Registration Dist. No.

St.

Ward

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs.

mos.

ds.

How long in U. S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No.

St.

Ward.

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

4. COLOR OR RACE

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occupation12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)

FATHER

13. NAME

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(State or country)

MOTHER

15. MAIÖEN NAME

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(Address)

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Date

19. UNOERTAKER

(Address)

20. FILED

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Registrar.

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(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

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I last saw him alive on

to have occurred on the date stated above, at

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Date of

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Was there an autopsy?

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Nature of injury

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If so, specify

(Signed)

(Address)

M. D.

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Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>
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## Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
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<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>
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ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

# STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

12023

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Garrett

Village or City Oakland, Md.

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

ys.

mos.

ds.

How long in U.S. if of foreign birth?

ys.

mos.

ds.

Registration Dist. No.

166

St.

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

## 2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No.

(Usual place of abode)

St.

Ward.

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX Male 4. COLOR OR RACE White 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) Married

5a. If married, widowed, or divorced HUSBAND of (or) WIFE of ✓

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) Aug. 21, 1842

7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.

59

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OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.

9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc.

10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year)

Farmer

11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation

18 months

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country)

Baltimore, Md.

FATHER

13. NAME

Thomas Skipper

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country)

unknown

MOTHER

15. MAIDEN NAME

unknown

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country)

unknown

17. INFORMANT (Address)

J. C. Skipper, Oakland, Md.

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place Oakland Date 23, 1931

19. UNDERTAKER (Address)

Emory W. Bolden

20. FILED

Ch 22-31 Julia Rowan

Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

### 21. DATE OF DEATH

Oct

(Month)

21

(Day)

1931

(Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

1931 to 1931

I last saw him alive in March, 1931; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 4:10 P.M.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

Arterio-sclerosis

No further information.

Date of onset

1929

Other Contributory Causes of Importance:

Fractured hip

Was cared for, two years ago, in the hospital.

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

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Nature of injury

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(Signed) M. C. Skipper

(Address) Oakland, Md.

M. O.

MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING

U. S. No. 1

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Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>

## Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>
Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

12024

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County

Village or City

No.

Registration Dist. No.

St.

Ward

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs.

mos.

ds.

How long in U.S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No.

St.

Ward.

(Usual place of abode)

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4. COLOR OR RACE

5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED (write the word)

5a. If married, widowed, or divorced

HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE of

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

It LESS than

1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs.  
or \_\_\_\_\_ min.

OCCUPATION

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kind of work done, as SPINNER,  
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work was done, as SILK MILL,  
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Data deceased last worked at  
this occupation (month and  
year)11. Total time (years)  
spent in this  
occupation

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

FATHER

13. NAME

MOTHER

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

15. MAIDEN NAME

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

17. INFORMANT

(Address)

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Date

1931

19. UNDERTAKER

(Address)

20. FILED

1931

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## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

Oct

26

1931

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

Aug 28

1931

to

Aug 28

1931

I last saw him alive on Aug 28, 1931; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 6:00 a.m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance  
were as follows:

Date of onset

10-26-31

Other Contributory Causes of Importance:

Suicide - Melancholia Typica

2 1/2 mo

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? Suicide Date of injury 10-26-1931

Where did injury occur?

Home

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Home

Manner of injury

Green shot wound in abdomen

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? No

If so, specify

(Signed)

(Address)

M. D.

# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

**Statement of occupation.**—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. Make some entry in this section for every person aged 10 years or over. If the deceased had retired from business, report the occupation prior to retirement. Children not gainfully employed may be returned as at school or at home. For a woman whose only occupation was that of home housework, write housewife in answer to Question 8 and own home in answer to Question 9. For a person engaged in domestic service for wages, however, designate the occupation by the appropriate terms, as servant—private family, cook—hotel, etc. For a person who had no occupation whatever write none.

To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as "employee," "worker," "operative," etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as spinner, weaver, etc.

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as "store," "factory," "mill," etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc. Avoid the term "laborer" when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word "mechanic," but give the exact occupation, as carpenter, painter, machinist, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

**Statement of cause of death.**—Cause of death means the disease, injury, or complication which causes death, not the mode of dying, e. g., heart failure, asphyxia, asthenia, etc. As principal cause name the disease or injury causing death. As related causes, name earlier morbid conditions, if any, related to the principal cause and any important complication of the principal cause. Under other contributory causes of importance, name other important diseases or injuries. Examples:

## Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

Arteriosclerosis	1915
Chronic interstitial nephritis	1921
Cerebral hemorrhage	July 5, 1927

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gallstones	May 1, 1923
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## Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

Attack of epilepsy	1 week ago
Run over by street car	1 week ago
Peritonitis	3 days ago

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis	1 year
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ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

N. B.--Every item of information should be carefully supplied. ACE should be stated EXACTLY, PHYSICIANS should state CAUSE OF DEATH in plain terms so that it may be properly classified. Exact statement of OCCUPATION is very important. See instructions on back of certificate.

1 PLACE OF DEATH

County

Garrett

12025

(16-d)

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 163

Village or City

Bloomington

(No.)

St.

Ward)

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME

Clara Genevieve Streets

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

Female

4 COLOR OR RACE

White

5 SINGLE,  
MARRIED,  
WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word)

Single

6 DATE OF BIRTH

Oct 3, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE

0 yrs. 0 mos. 11 ds. or min.?

If LESS than  
1 day hrs.

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or  
particular kind of work(b) General nature of industry  
business, or establishment in  
which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country)

10 NAME OF  
FATHER11 BIRTHPLACE  
OF FATHER

(State or country)

12 MAIDEN NAME  
OF MOTHER13 BIRTHPLACE  
OF MOTHER

(State or Country)

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

(Address)

15

Filed 10/15 1931 Dorsey Patterson  
Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

Oct 14, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from  
Oct. 3, 1931 to Oct. 14, 1931

that I last saw her alive on Oct 13, 1931.

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 7:40 A.M.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Reptured Viscera  
Apparently spontaneous. Abdomen was rigid;  
menial. (Duration) yrs. mos. 1 da.

Contributory  
Secondary

Internal Hemorrhage  
Apparently spontaneous. (Duration) yrs. mos. 1 da.

(Signed)

Oct 15, 1931 (Address) Piedmont, W. Va.

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from  
Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether  
Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

16 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted,  
if not at place of death?Former or  
usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

Bloomington, Md. Oct 15, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

D. S. Bral Barton, Md.

# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

(Approved by U. S. Census and American Public  
Health Association.)

**Statement of Occupation**—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. The question applies to each and every person, irrespective of age. For many occupations a single word or term on the first line will be sufficient, e. g., *Farmer or Planter, Pugician, Compositor, Architect, Locomotive engineer, Civil engineer, Stationary fireman, etc.* But in many cases, especially in industrial employments, it is necessary to know (a) the kind of work and also (b) the nature of the business or industry, and therefore an additional line is provided for the latter statement; it should be used only when needed. As examples: (a) *Spinner, (b) Cotton mill; (a) Salesman, (b) Grocery; (a) Foreman, (b) Automobile factory.* The material worked on may form part of the second statement. Never return "Laborer," "Foreman," "Manager," "Dealer," etc., without more precise specification as *Day laborer, Farm laborer, Laborer—Coal mine, etc.* Women at home, who are engaged in the duties of the household only (not paid *Housekeepers* who receive a definite salary), may be entered as *Housewife, Housework, or At Home*, and children, not gainfully employed, as *At school, or At home.* Care should be taken to report specifically the occupations of persons engaged in domestic service for wages, as *Servant, Cook, Housemaid, etc.* If the occupation has been **changed** or given up on account of the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, state occupation at beginning of illness. If retired from business, that fact may be indicated thus; *Farmer (retired 6 yrs.)*. For persons who have no occupation whatever, write *None*.

**Statement of Cause of Death**—Name, first, the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH (the primary affection with respect to time and causation), using always the same accepted term for the same disease. Examples: *Cerebrospinal fever* (the only definite synonym is "Epidemic cerebrospinal meningitis"); *Diphtheria* (avoid use of "Croup"); *Typhoid fever* (never report "Typhoid Pneumonia"); *Lobar pneumonia, Bronchopneumonia* ("Pneumonia,"

unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs, meninges, peritoneum, etc., Corioma, Sarcoma, etc., of . . . . .* (name origin; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Measles; Whooping cough; Chronic valvular heart disease; Chronic interstitial nephritis, etc.* The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Measles* (disease causing death), 29 ds.; *Bronchopneumonia* (secondary), 10 ds. Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anaemia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Haemorrhage," "Infantion," "Marasmus," "Old Age," "Shock," "Uræmia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage as "PUERPERAL septicæmia," "PUERPERAL peritonitis," etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. FOR VIOLENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL or HOMICIDAL, or as *probably* such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning; Struck by railway train—accident; Revolver wound of head—homicide; Poisoned by carbonic acid—probably suicide.* The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis, meningitis*) may be stated under the head of "contributory." Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

If this certificate is looked over thoroughly and all questions answered in detail, it will prevent further correspondence. All the data is essential and must be obtained before the certificate is permanently filed.

NOV 3 1931  
BUREAU V. A.

H. S.--Every item of information should be carefully supplied. ACE should be stated EXACTLY, PHYSICIANS should state CAUSE OF DEATH in plain terms so that it may be properly classified. Exact statement of OCCUPATION is very important. See instructions on back of certificate.

1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Garratt

Village or City Deer Park (No. 82-0)

2 FULL NAME Mrs. Emma E. Walters

# STATE OF MARYLAND CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 169

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

Female

4 COLOR OR RACE

White

5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (Write the word)

Married

6 DATE OF BIRTH

2-7-86  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE

45 yrs. 2 mos. 25 ds. or min. ?  
If LESS than 1 day... hrs.

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work

Housewife

(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country)

Garratt, Md.

10 NAME OF FATHER

Mary White

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

(State or country)

Md.

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

Eliza Moon

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

(State or country)

Md.

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

E. E. Walters

(Address)

Deer Park, Md.

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Filed Oct. 3

1931 Allie M. Doherty

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## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

10-2, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from 6-20-30 to 10-2-31.

that I last saw her alive on 10-1-31.

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 4:45 AM.

The CAUSE OF DEATH was as follows:

Chronic - pneumonia

(Duration) 1 yrs. 4 mos. 4 da.

Contributory Secondary Chronic - pneumonia

(Duration) 4 yrs. 5 mos. 5 da.

(Signed) Edward S. Doherty M. D.

10-3-31 (Address) Deer Park, Md.

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury; and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients, or Recent Residents)

At place of death ... yrs. ... mos. ... da. In the State ... yrs. ... mos. ... da.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

Deer Park Cemetery 10/4, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

Bolden Undertaking Co. Oakland, Md.



